

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q90825

Yukako FUKUHIRA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/552,685

Group Art Unit: 1615

Confirmation No.: 3807

Examiner: Caralynne E. Helm

Filed: October 11, 2005

For: BIODEGRADABLE FILM HAVING HONEYCOMB STRUCTURE

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on

January 19, 2011:

REMARKS

During the interview, the following was discussed:

1. Brief description of exhibits or demonstration: No.
2. Identification of claims discussed: 4.
3. Identification of art discussed: Maruyama et al., Shimomura et al., Huang et al., and Johnsson et al.
4. Substance of Interview: Applicants' representative went through the remarks that had been filed on December 28, 2010. He inquired if a declaration with the cholesterol experiments discussed in the remarks would be helpful. Examiner Helm indicated that such a declaration would be helpful and that this data appeared to highlight the key issue in regard to

whether the claims would have been obvious. Upon submission of this data in declaration form and reconsideration of the case, the predictability of an amphiphile to facilitate the formation of a honeycomb film in the prior art will be revisited.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

It is believed that no petition or fee is required. However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

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